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SUBJECT: MAURITIUS UNMOVED BY ARGUMENTS THAT UNGA RESOLUTIONS CARRY  
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Acting Polchief delivered reftel demarche to Ambassador Patrice Cure, Head of Multilateral Division at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, making the additional point that since Mauritius as a rule does not support "single-country resolutions," it should support "single-country bodies" even less. Ambassador Cure responded that Mauritius, while a supporter of the Quartet peace efforts, has traditionally supported the pro-Palestinian bodies at the UN. He implied that change on this subject is unlikely.

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